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BOARD OF TRADE

A Meeting to Consider Fourth of July Festivities

A special meeting of the Board of Trade was held this morning in the city hall to receive a report of the committee on special rates for a "Gala Day" June 14.

President Fishel had communications from both the Plant System and F. C. & P. which said only one fare for the round trip could be granted, but good for three days. As the 14th of June comes so near the 4th of July, and no special rate could be secured for the former date, it was thought best that the board decline the "Gala Day" rate and instead prepare for a regular old-fashioned

Fourth of July Celebration

With that end in view, a meeting of the citizens is called for

Tuesday Evening, May 22,

To take steps to make the celebration worthy of our city. Every citizen who loves his town and county should be present next Tuesday night to give the matter a big send-off. The meeting will be held in the council chamber.

PROSPERITY

The increase in bank deposits and depositors in the four states of Colorado, Idaho, Montana and Wyoming since 1894 is wonderful. The gain, has been in dollars, \$1,700,000. In Idaho, with its 190,000 people, the increase was \$450,000 and an increase of \$50 depositors. In Montana, increase of cash over \$4,000,000 and of depositors over 7,000. Colorado, money increase over \$11,000,000 and over 12,000 increase in depositors. Wyoming, with its 90,000 people, has doubled its deposits and in 1899 there was a deposit of \$35 per capita.

Surely those people are in the forefront of good times with plenty of money.

WHEN NATURE

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT

Desirable residences and cottages in different parts of the city, almost any size or style desired, for rent, and will sell on most advantageous terms. Have you property to rent, or do you desire to rent property? In either case, apply to S. D. Moody in city building.

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GOOD ROADS

Martin Dodge, director of the good roads division of the agricultural department, will be at Gainesville May 22 and be one of the speakers on the subject of good roads.



A MAN MIGHT

Buy a very ordinary article for himself, but when it comes to confectionery that he wishes to present to some one, the very best is hardly good enough. A single trial of our candies will easily prove that they are good enough for the most pampered taste.

Money and experience cannot make better confectionery than we sell, and you can always get it fresh.

T. W. TROXLER.

OUR SENTIMENTS

Editor Ira Gore, of the St. Petersburg Times, says: "We don't think we are anxious to vote for any candidate who wishes to slip into office by giving the papers the go-by."

A HORRIBLE OUTBREAK

"Of large sores on my little daughter's head developed into a case of scald head," writes C. D. Isbill, of Morganton, Tenn., but Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured her. It's a guaranteed cure for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, pimples, sores, ulcers and piles. Only 25c at Garrett & Gerig's, Ocala, Fla., and all other druggists.

COMING SUMMER RATES

For low rates to all summer resorts call on the city ticket agent of the Plant System, in the Ocala House.

"After suffering from severe dyspepsia over twelve years and using many remedies without permanent good, I finally took Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It did me so much good I recommend it to everyone," writes J. E. Watkins, clerk and recorder, Chillicothe, Mo. It digests what you eat. Anti-Monopoly Drugstore.

GROWING

The Ocala Star has recently installed a typesetting machine in its office. It is a Mergenthaler Linotype and weighs 2800 pounds. Leon Hannon will operate this "lightning type manipulator." We congratulate the Star upon this evidence of prosperity.

—Morrison Hustler.

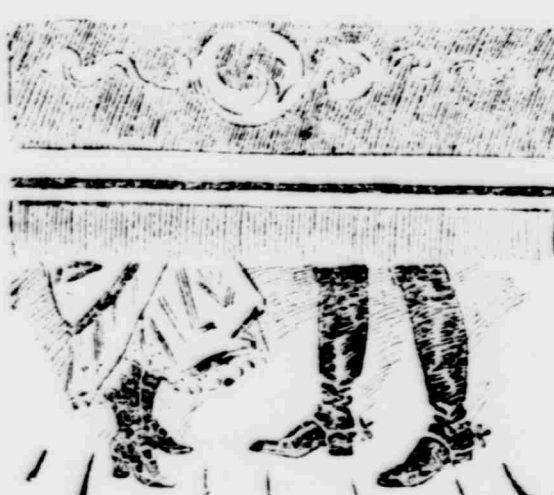
To stop is to stagnate, and vegetate we cannot. We must move on.

DO YOU NEED AN ELECTRIC BELT

Dr. J. Newton Hathaway has perfected an electric belt which he is prepared to furnish to all patients who need it, at a nominal charge. Write to J. Newton Hathaway, M. D., 25 Bryan street, Savannah, Ga.

CRESCENT 1900 MODELS

The Ocala Music Co. has just received its 1900 model Crescent bicycles in ladies', gents' and children's chain and chainless. Call and see them. They are beauties and the price will strike you as right.



VERY CONSPICUOUS

Shoes are always very conspicuous and it pays to wear good shoes. It pays to have your feet trimly dressed, if there is a hole in the inside of your glove.

We sell a shoe at \$2 which we think excellent for ordinary purposes. We have them in ladies' shoes, both high and low, black and tan, and in gents' also. Calf or vici kid, lace or congress. Give me a call at the old stand.

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This office has an agency for the Franklin typewriter, and will sell them on very liberal terms. Call and see the machine. It is one of the best made; simple, durable and rapid in its work.

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LOCAL LEGISLATION

Meeting of the City Council Tuesday Night

Those present were Aldermen McConathy, Scott, Helvenston, Edwards and Delouest.

The Brandon Printing Co., of Nashville, Tenn., made inquiry about their bill for printing bonds for the city of Ocala. These bonds were not ordered issued by the city, but pay is demanded for creating them. The clerk was requested to furnish at next meeting authority to print the same. The bill is \$55.

The superintendent of streets was authorized to sprinkle around the square and adjacent streets when he deemed it necessary.

The clerk was authorized to send an assessment blank to every property owner, and keep a record to see how many will be returned.

On motion of Edwards, the city market after June will be closed during the months of June, July and August every afternoon except Saturday, from 1 to 5 o'clock.

THE METHODIST MEETINGS

Rev. H. A. Hodges preached a very interesting sermon last evening on the life of Samson. The practical lessons brought out were striking and helpful. Mr. Hodges will preach again this evening at 7:30.

Tomorrow evening Rev. J. D. Hammond will preach. Dr. Hammond is secretary of education of the M. E. Church, South. He will preach the commencement sermon of the college at Leesburg next Sunday. All are invited to come out tomorrow evening and hear Dr. Hammond.

The Tampa Times is shouting for Jennings and the Tribune congratulates Manatee for lining up for Hernandez's favorite son.

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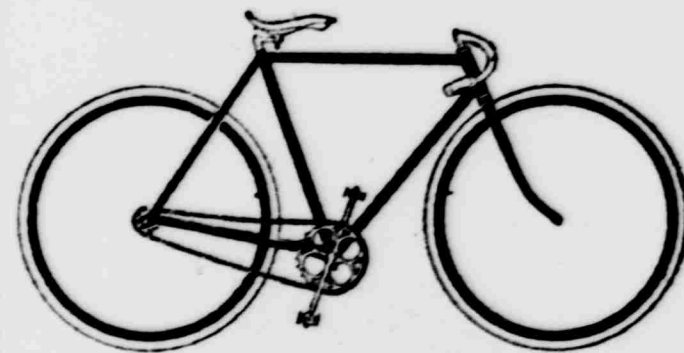
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